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- Response to Restriction Requirement mailed on October 26, 2004; and 1.
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 26, 2004 in the abovereferenced patent application, the Applicants hereby elect Group II, including claims 17-31, without traverse.

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